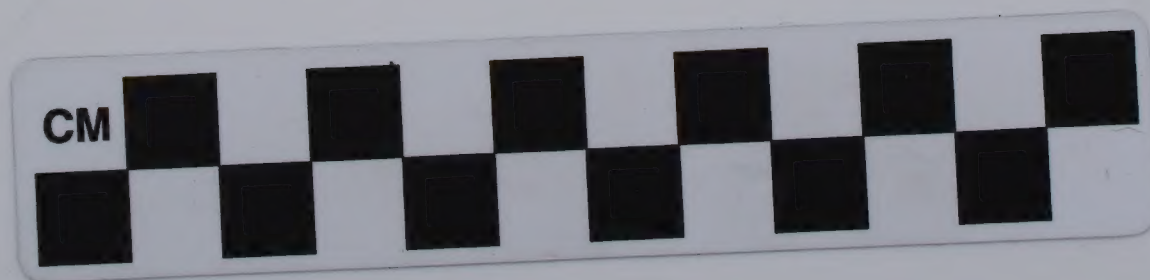


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Box 94



do any use

What did you see on the way  
you ~~to~~ on

to milled  
O Day with mamas

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Citrus 2-10-15-

Dear Ones at home

I received your most kind and welcome letter today and was more than glad to hear from you all and to hear you were all well. Well I got in 6 hours to day, it has rain ever since Sunday after noon and kept at it ~~work~~ untill today about 2 o'clock I tell you I wished I was home good many times

I did not get my toolbox till to day and one end was all busted out, and it cost \$5<sup>00</sup> Express I think they put it over ~~on~~ me

next time do as I tell you about wrapping wire or rope around anything that is heavy for they throw thing around so

I wish you all were all here every thing would be all right

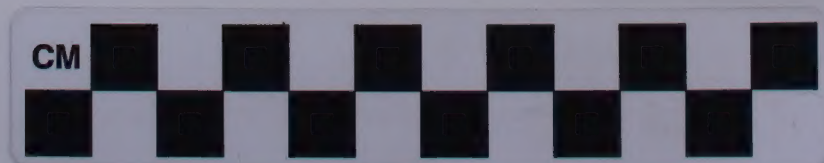
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2) but as it is now it is up hill  
business if we had a house here  
we could ~~get~~ rent it for a good price  
and take in boarders and make  
lots of money that way, now if  
you think it best I will try and  
exchange your 5 acres for a lot  
and see if I can get a loan and  
try and see if I can build a house  
right away.

The man I'm working for has eight  
houses to build and more to ~~build~~  
coming, and more people coming  
every day, there is from one to  
five people come ever day, looking  
for their land and lots.

There is eleven here tonight  
some very nice people from all  
~~over~~ over the United States.

I'm staying at what they the hotel  
it is a portable house they have got  
a rest room right near it with  
a nice big fireplace and electric

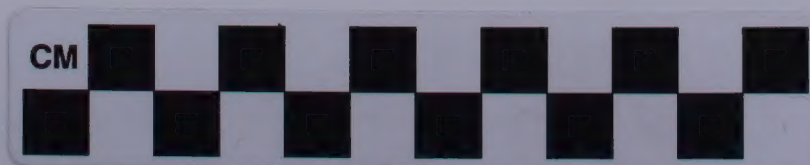


3) ~~lives in~~ flights in chairs and  
writing desk

I board just a little ways from  
here at a boarding house, but just  
as soon as some of the fto folks  
get their houses done I'm going to  
board and room with them and it  
will be cheaper, but O I wish you  
were all up here it would be more  
like living

There is two bed in one room and  
a nice ~~and~~ old man from Canada  
told me to come in his room and  
it would be cheaper for both of us  
so it only costs me 5.0cts a day room  
for room, and I got a meal ticket  
21 meals for \$7.00

Most of the work at ~~present~~ present  
is right close in, am working on  
a house just a little way from  
where they had their show  
last ~~summer~~ summer



4) The man I'm rooming with is going  
to build a garage a automobile house  
~~and~~ said I ~~can't~~ could stay with  
him and it ~~would~~ would not cost  
me anything so just as ~~so~~ soon  
as ~~th~~ he get it done I'm going to moon  
write and tell me what you want  
me to do

Well it is time for me to  
go to bed Good night to all

and many kisses to all  
many thank for the valentine  
but would rather have the  
real ~~than~~

from Dad

CM

